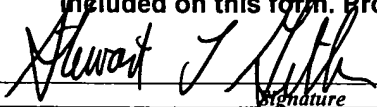


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| Application No. 10/626,836 | Filing Date July 25, 2003 | Examiner Margaret G. Moore | Customer No. 20741 | Group Art Unit 1712 | Confirmation No. 9255 | |
| Invention: ANTISTATIC COATING, IN PARTICULAR FOR TONER TRANSFER DRUMS | | | | | | |
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In response to the Official Action dated September 27, 2005, applicant requests that the amendment of the claims be entered as follows: